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# Program

# **Program**

**October First**

**Mrs. Olaf N. Guldlin**

*Co-Workers*

## **DISCUSSION**

Mr. Frederick B. Shoaff  
Mrs. Max Fisher  
Mrs. Ralph Yarnelle  
Mrs. Thomas E. Ellison

**October Fifteenth**

**Mrs. Robert S. Taylor**

*Some of my Favorite Characters*

## **DISCUSSION**

Mrs. Justin N. Study  
Mrs. Frederick B. Shoaff  
Mr. Ralph Yarnelle  
Mr. Ronald Dawson

**October Twenty-Ninth**

**Miss Ethelred Naylor**

*The Miracle Play*

## **DISCUSSION**

Mr. Burns Douglas  
Miss Margery Olds  
Mr. Charles M. Niezer  
Rabbi Harry Ettelson

# Program

November Twelfth

**Dr. William H. Myers**

*The Present Tendency of Scientific Thought*

## DISCUSSION

Mrs. George M. Naylor

Mrs. Olaf N. Guldlin

Mr. T. Milo Miller

Mrs. Charles L. Olds

November Twenty-Sixth

**Mr. Thomas E. Ellison**

*Civic Morals*

## DISCUSSION

Judge Robert S. Taylor

Mr. T. Milo Miller

Dr. Warren D. Calvin

Mrs. Elizabeth J. Dawson

December Tenth

**Mr. Ronald Dawson**

*James McNeill Whistler*

## DISCUSSION

Mrs. Miles F. Porter

Mr. Ralph Yarnelle

Mrs. Max Fisher

Miss Ethelred Naylor

# **Program**

**January Seventh**

**Rabbi Harry Ettelson**

*Browning, the Poet and Thinker*

## **DISCUSSION**

Mr. Lee Ninde

Mrs. Ben Perley Weaver

Mr. Frederick B. Shoaff

Dr. George W. McCaskey

**January Twenty-First**

**Mr. Elwin M. Hulse**

*The Panama Canal*

## **DISCUSSION**

Mr. Lee Ninde

Dr. William H. Myers

Mr. Charles L. Olds

Mr. Olaf N. Gulldlin

**February Fourth**

**Mrs. Walter Olds**

*Some Problems of the Hour*

## **DISCUSSION**

Dr. Jessie Carruthers Calvin

Mrs. Charles H. Worden

Dr. Ben P. Weaver

Mrs. Thomas E. Ellison

# **Program**

**February Eighteenth**

*Guest Night*

**March Fourth**

**Mr. Charles R. Lane**

*Ship Subsidies*

## **DISCUSSION**

Mr. Samuel M. Foster

Dr. Albert E. Bulson, Jr.

Mr. Carl Yapple

Judge Robert S. Taylor

**March Eighteenth**

**Dr. George W. McCaskey**

*Ruskin*

## **DISCUSSION**

Judge Owen N. Heaton

Mrs. Elwin M. Hulse

Mr. Burns Douglas

Mr. Carl Yapple

# Program

April First

**Mr. Charles M. Niezer**

*Vested Rights*

## DISCUSSION

Judge Walter Olds

Judge Robert S. Taylor

Mrs. Olaf N. Guldlin

Judge Owen N. Heaton

April Fifteenth

**Dr. Miles F. Porter**

*State, National and International Ethics*

## DISCUSSION

Dr. George W. McCaskey

Rabbi Harry Ettelson

Mr. Charles H. Worden

Mr. Charles R. Lane

April Twenty-Ninth

**Miss Margaret McPhail**

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## DISCUSSION

Mrs. Max Fisher

Mrs. Lee Ninde

Mrs. Charles R. Lane

Miss Anna Lowry

# Constitution

# Constitution

## OBJECT

We, the persons whose signatures are hereunto affixed, do associate ourselves together for the purpose of intellectual and social culture, and do hereby adopt the following Articles of Association:

### ARTICLE I—NAME

The name of this Association shall be "THE FORTNIGHTLY CLUB."

### ARTICLE II—MEMBERS

SECTION 1. Candidates for membership shall present an application in writing, endorsed by at least three members. When the names of husband and wife are proposed for membership, the vote shall be cast as for one, but husband and wife shall count as two members. Applications must be read at a regular meeting, and voted upon at a regular meeting not earlier than two weeks thereafter.

SEC. 2. The vote shall be by written ballot and a three-fourths vote of the members present shall be necessary to elect. Each member shall vote for no more than one candidate at a time, husband and wife counting as one candidate.

SEC. 3. When the list of candidates for membership consists of more than one name, the candidates shall be voted upon singly in alphabetical order. One ballot only shall be taken upon each name.

SEC. 4. The voting shall proceed until the list of candidates is exhausted, or until it is discontinued by a motion to that effect sustained by a majority vote. Candidates voted upon at any meeting but not elected shall not be voted upon again without a previous notice as required by Section 1 of this Article.

SEC. 5. The membership of the Club shall be limited to seventy-five.

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## ARTICLE III—OFFICERS

The officers of the Club shall consist of a President, Vice-President and Secretary, whose duties shall be those usually devolving upon such officers. They shall be elected by ballot and shall hold office for one year, or until their successors are elected. At the same time and in the same manner, four members shall be chosen, who, together with the President, Vice-President and Secretary, shall constitute an Executive Committee. It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to determine the place of the meeting; to arrange a program of exercises; to receive and present to the Club applications for membership; to propose and submit to the Club for adoption such standing rules of procedure and amendments thereto as may from time to time seem desirable; fix the dues for the ensuing year, and to exercise a general supervision and direction of the business affairs of the Club.

## ARTICLE IV—MEETINGS

Regular meetings of the Club shall be held on each alternate Monday evening from October 1 to May 1.

## ARTICLE V.—QUORUM

Of the Club, one-third of all the members, and of the Executive Committee, a majority shall constitute a quorum to do business.

## ARTICLE VI—AMENDMENTS AND BY-LAWS

Amendments to the Constitution and By-Laws or change in any of the standing rules of the Club, may be proposed at any regular meeting, voted upon at the next regular meeting, and adopted by a two-thirds vote. No article, law or rule shall be adopted, amended or repealed except by a two-thirds vote at a regular meeting following some previous regular meeting at which notice of such contemplated action has been given.

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## STANDING RULES

1. The exercises of the evening shall begin promptly at eight o'clock, and shall consist of one paper not exceeding forty-five minutes in length, and its discussion. Four persons shall be appointed by the Executive Committee to discuss each paper, and their names shall be printed in the program. The time allotted for these discussions shall be twenty minutes, equally divided among those appointed for the occasion, provided, however, that any one person thus appointed may use time not otherwise used or desired by the others appointed on the discussion. These shall be followed by a general discussion for thirty minutes, in which one person shall speak not more than twice, nor more than five minutes at a time. Closing remarks by the reader, limited to five minutes duration, shall end the program.
2. An essayist unavoidably absent on the evening of his or her appointment shall provide for the evening's entertainment by submitting a paper for someone else to read, or furnishing a substitute essayist.

## **Members**

Dr. Albert E. Bulson, Jr.  
Mrs. Albert E. Bulson, Jr.  
Dr. Warren D. Calvin  
Dr. Jessie C. Calvin  
Mr. Ronald Dawson  
Mrs. Elizabeth J. Dawson  
Mr. D. Burns Douglass  
Mr. Thomas E. Ellison  
Mrs. Thomas E. Ellison  
Miss Phoebe Ellison  
Rabbi Harry Ettelson  
Mrs. Max B. Fisher  
Rev. J. Budman Fleming  
Mrs. J. Budman Fleming  
Mr. Samuel M. Foster  
Mrs. Samuel M. Foster  
Hon. Newton W. Gilbert  
Mr. Olaf N. Guldlin  
Mrs. Olaf N. Guldlin  
Judge Owen N. Heaton  
Mrs. Owen N. Heaton  
Mr. Elwin Hulse  
Mrs. Elwin Hulse  
Mr. Charles R. Lane  
Mrs. Charles R. Lane  
Miss Anna Lowry  
Miss Margaret Macphail  
Dr. George W. McCaskey  
Mrs. George W. McCaskey  
Mr. T. Milo Miller  
Mrs. T. Milo Miller  
Rev. David W. Moffat  
Mrs. David W. Moffat

## Members

Dr. Wm. H. Myers  
Mrs. George M. Naylor  
Miss Ethelred Naylor  
Mr. Charles M. Niezer  
Mr. Lee J. Ninde  
Mrs. Lee J. Ninde  
Mr. Charles L. Olds  
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Miss Margery Olds  
Judge Walter Olds  
Mrs. Walter Olds  
Dr. Miles F. Porter  
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Mrs. Robert S. Robertson  
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Mr. Justin N. Study  
Mrs. Justin N. Study  
Judge Robert S. Taylor  
Mrs. Robert S. Taylor  
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